

YANIGANS OFF FOR WICHITA WITH WARNER IN THE BOX; FALKENBERG WITH REGULARS

Cantillon Tenders Burns One Week's Leave in the Hope That He May Recover.

By THOMAS S. RICE.

GALVESTON, Tex., March 18.—Tom Hughes and his Yanigans leave here today at 7 p. m. for Wichita, Kan., where they play Saturday and Sunday, and thence travel by easy stages to Springfield, Ill., where they play March 23 and 25, then lay over there a week and play again April 4 and 5.

On the 6th the regulars will arrive in Springfield, and the parting of the ways will come for those disappointed athletes who are to be sent back to the minors.

Readers of The Times already know who are doomed, for no changes in Manager Cantillon's view of the fittest to survive have occurred in the past two or three days. It still looks like Cates is the seventh pitcher unless Hank Gehring beats him out, with Burns a feature on the regular staff, because of his left-handed delivery. Kay is booked for Minneapolis, while Oberlin and Wilson are also booked for the American Association. Keeley and Peterson would be bound in the same direction, but both say they prefer to play with the semi-pros, and will not accept jobs in the minor ranks. Street will be a regular and probably the principal catcher, as he thrives on working every day. Shipke remains as utility infielder, and Milan, as extra outfielder. There you have the situation summed up again on the eve of departure.

Accommodations at Springfield.

Dick Kinsella, owner of the Springfield, Ill., team, writes that his park is in excellent shape, and that if the Yanigans need more to fill in while practicing there he will furnish them. The Yanigans will stop at the St. Nicholas in Springfield.

Tom Hughes is the busiest man in the Washington camp, herding his men for the big jump tonight. He is one industrious manager and also a wise one. He will be found making good as a boss, for he is an old stage and thoroughly familiar with the playing and business details of the position of manager.

Falkenberg is loudly lamenting his shift to the regulars. He and Jack Warner have been chumming together here and picking the ponies in the Galveston poolroom with varying success.



ELI CATES, Who Looks to Be the Answer to the Mooted Question, "Who Will Be the Seventh Pitcher?"

They nearly always start by cashing a couple of good bets and then try to get all the money at once by putting it all on an especially good thing, with the result that the poolroom is still meeting its bills promptly. Falkenberg and Warner had it all framed up that they would discourage poolroom gambling while on tour with the Yanigans by

Colts Just Dote On Manager for Umpire But He Resigns the Job.

playing a series of hot tips they have been organized by some Welsenhelm on the coast, but that scheme is disarranged, for Warner leaves with Manager Hughes, while the long pitcher remains with the big show.

Burns' Unlucky Day.

There is nothing serious the matter with Burns' arm, as far as known. He simply could not get right in Galveston, and Cantillon decided to let him have a lay-off at his home in San Saba, Tex., for a week, to see if that will help him. He was unlucky last year, and the evil eye may still be on him. He was taken with the smallpox, and just as he recovered from that, back he went to the hospital with an attack of tuberculosis of the throat, which laid him out for seven weeks. He was late starting for Los Angeles last season because of these misfortunes, and in his first twelve games lost seven, after which he won nine straight. He says he likes Cantillon, and the prospects of playing in Washington, and expects to join us as the regulars pass through Temple. He thinks the constant demand in Galveston has caused his elbow to contract, the knk which made him so wild against the Cardinals last Sunday, and has interfered greatly with his twisting ever since.

Warner and Kahoe have both been extremely unlucky in being hit on the shin with hard balls, and have already received as much punishment as they would ordinarily get in two months of playing.

Mike's Bunch Coming.

Mike Cantillon's Minneapolis bunch which arrives on Friday is expected to be as large as the Washington squad, for the Cantillon brothers are not only after a good team for Minneapolis but are great speculators in players and never fail to get top prices for any talent they happen to develop but can't use. The Regular-Yanigan game today promises to be a hot affair and if another victim can be obtained, will not be spared by Manager Joe Cantillon. He handled the two abbreviated contests yesterday, in which the Yanigans lost the morning game by 2 to 1 and won the afternoon game by 5 to 1, and nearly precipitated a riot, the Regulars claiming he was giving their pitchers a deal and the Yanigans claiming he was giving them a sure enough good ball team.

"The mosquitoes are upon us, but not so bad as last year."

WILLIAM BURNS, Who Will Be Back on the Firing Line When His Salary Wing Recovers.

RUNNERS IN DANGER OF COURT-MARTIAL

Soldiers Accused of Unbecoming Conduct in Athletic Meet.

NEW YORK, March 18.—The impromptu fight between C. Gmeiner, jr., and E. Weiner, which took place during the running of the obstacle race at the Twenty-second Regiment games on Tuesday night, has aroused the wrath of military and athletic officials, and according to reports may result in a court-martial.

It developed yesterday that Col. W. B. Hotchkiss will take the matter up and have the whole affair threshed out on the ground that Gmeiner and Weiner conducted themselves in a manner unbecoming members of the regiment while on the premises, and that they traded blows and that the latter association, said that the case was such that it will positively be reported to Colonel Hotchkiss.

"Myself and hundreds of others saw what took place under the canvas," he said, "and could readily understand why Gmeiner lost his temper, but still he should have remembered his surroundings and settled his case at some other place."

James E. Sullivan, president of the Amateur Athletic Union, was one of the judges at the meet and said that the matter will be taken up by the M. A. L. It was a closed meet, he said, and was held under the auspices of the Military Athletic League and that body will take up the case. It was a repetition of this Haskins-Shepard affair and the A. U. will leave the whole matter to the M. A. L.

Crack Athletes Of Winged Fist Leave for West

NEW YORK, March 18.—Melvin Shipyard and Martin Sheridan, of the Irish-American A. C., left New York last night for St. Louis, where tomorrow evening they will compete in the annual games of the St. Louis University. The big cop will show the Mount City fans his prowess with the weights. "Shep" will strive to carry the Winged Fist to victory in the 1,000 special race with Jimmy Lightbody, the great Cherry Circle middle-distance, it is thought that "Spider" Coe, the Michigan University crack, who recently took Guy Hastings, the former Red and Blue champion, into camp, may also toe the mark in the contest.

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Hackenschmidt Held Up for Failure to Obtain Permit.

NEW YORK, March 18.—George Hackenschmidt, the Russian Lion, was held up to appear at the Clermont avenue rink in Brooklyn last night, but was not allowed to go on because the police interfered.

About 1,000 people had crowded into the rink prepared to see some very lively matches, as Hack was scheduled to go on with Young Hack, Fred Winter, and A. Kuchmiller, besides challenging the crowd. There were five or six other bouts scheduled.

Capt. Christian Reinecke, announced that they would not be allowed as there had been no permit issued. The management had applied for a permit, but too late to unravel it from the red tape of the police department.

The audience hissed, jeered, and hooted, and it looked as if there was going to be a riot. Twenty lousy policemen entered and order was restored. The crowd demanded its money, and the management asked everybody to stop on his way out. Most of the people took their money back, but a few were afraid to take a chance in the general rush for the box office and went home sad.

Sharkey Club Raided on Evidence of a Two-Dollar Ticket.

NEW YORK, March 18.—The Sharkey A. C. was raided by a horde of police last night in the midst of its "weekly stag." Jimmy Moran, of Brooklyn, and Jack Hanlon, of Philadelphia, had been pummeling each other gently when a lone policeman rushed to the ringside, jumped upon the stage and began tooting an automobile horn furiously.

A moment later there came a furious knock at the entrance doors, and Inspector Walsh, Captain Kelleher and eight policemen burst in, knocking the spectators right and left, and also-leaping into the ring. James Buckley, the manager of the club, and referee of the fight, protested loudly against the intrusion of the police. Then the lone policeman declared that he could prove that a prize fight was being pulled off, because he had bought a ticket for \$2 from Jimmie Kelleher. Hanlon and Kelly were arrested. Young Moran slid out of the ring during the wrangle and was not captured. Kelly, at the police station Buckley, Kelly, and Hanlon got Louis Jacko to bail them out.

BASEBALL MOGULS PREDICT SUCCESS FOR UNION LEAGUE

Major Circuit Representatives Give Al Lawson Glad Hand.

PHILADELPHIA, March 18.—With the banquet tendered to representative newspaper men from all cities included in the new Union League circuit last night by the officials of the outlay organization, the affairs of the league took definite shape. Despite the fact that a number of last night's speakers are closely affiliated with at least one of the two major leagues in this city, all were unanimous in prophesying success for the project, and in wishing it all and more success than was accorded the efforts of President Al Lawson last year when he clearly demonstrated, by means of the outlay Atlantic League, that he could put clubs unprotected by the national commission, into the field and make good.

Yesterday afternoon's meeting was almost entirely taken up with mere routine matters, such as the adoption of regulation materials which will be used by the league. Manager Arthur Irwin, of the Washington club; President Lawson and Walter Schlichter, of Philadelphia, were appointed as a schedule committee, and they will set to work immediately assigning dates. The Washington club is expected to open in the city about April 20 with the Baltimore club. As has been stated before by the officials of the league, every effort will be made to arrange a schedule that will be made as little as possible with the American and National League dates.

Atherton Field Captain.

In signing Charley A. Atherton as field captain of the Washington team Manager Irwin is to be congratulated. Atherton has had a world of experience in all angles of the game and has a reputation of being a capable handler of men on the field. Manager Irwin is also dicker with McClure, who caught that he will be ready to sign before the season opens.

The two college stars who will in all probability play with Washington, are both well known in college circles and are thought to be comers. Irwin refuses to divulge their names at present. One is known to be a player now with a Washington college team.

Of the players who literally overran the hotel lobby at yesterday morning's

KID MURPHY QUILTS, CLAIMING INJURIES

Physicians Disagree With Statement That His Hands Are Broken.

BALTIMORE, March 18.—Solly Weinrib, of Rochester, made Kid Murphy, of New York city, quit after eight rounds of fighting before the Arena Athletic Club in the latter's hall, Baltimore and Holiday streets, last night.

The decision was given to Weinrib. Manager Barrett claimed that the battle was for the world's championship in the bantam class. The men weighed at the ringside, and neither raised the beam at 115 pounds. Murphy explained his quitting by claiming that both of his hands were broken. Two physicians, after examinations, declared, however, that neither hand was broken.

Murphy contended that it hurt his hands worse when he hit than his blows hurt Weinrib. One hand he said was injured from a blow landing on the head and the other by a blow which struck Weinrib's hip. Murphy asked his seconds to throw up the sponge after the fifth, the sixth and the seventh rounds, and demanded it to be thrown after the eighth round. The demand was obeyed.

The fight was under straight rules, the men protecting themselves at all times. These rules were to Murphy's advantage, as he had trained to fight that way while Weinrib had trained to fight with clean breaks at command of the referee. There was no large audience unless they did not take kindly to straight-rules boxing.

meeting, several may be signed by Irwin. Among these possibilities are Charley Moss, who managed Portsmouth, in the Virginia State League, last year; Whiting, a pitcher of some note, who worked in the same league, and Frank Kirkpatrick, who played third base for the Richmond club early in the season. Irwin states that he has applications from more than 100 players who want to join his club, and for that reason is in no hurry to sign men unless they are known to be capable of putting up a game that will give Washington a leading club.

To all those whom he has signed, Manager Irwin has announced that he will expect them to report here on April 5, when a number of exhibition games with the University of Pennsylvania will be played. On April 15, when Irwin's contract with Pennsylvania expires, he will accompany his men to Washington, where practices will be begun in earnest.

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LEWIS AND MARTIN IN 15-ROUND BOUT

Pair Furnished Exhibition of Fast Fighting in Last Go.

BALTIMORE, March 18.—Harry Lewis, who is to box Terry Martin fifteen rounds in this city one week from tomorrow night, at Germania Maennerchor Hall, before the Eureka Athletic Club, is on the field, "getting used to the climate," as he expresses it.

He is a stocky, red-headed chap, who hasn't graduated so long ago from the lightweight ranks, but he has already proved himself able to hold his own with the best in either division. Martin, too, is one of the best lately produced, and that the two will make one of the hottest battles seen in this city for some time is the general opinion of those in the know.

The story of how the men came to be matched here is out of the ordinary. Lewis and Martin fought one of those six-round affairs in Philadelphia on January 25, and it was only unsatisfactory in that it did not go long enough to suit the whetted appetites of the spectators. One of these happened to be Stanley Rushton, a young Philadelphian principally engaged in having a good time, and he immediately announced that he had \$500 that fairly yelled that Martin could best Lewis in a prolonged engagement. He got together with Walter Schlichter, Martin's manager, who communicated with Lewis, and after some consultation Lewis decided to take the chance and covered the \$500 with his own money.

ANTI-POOL ROOM LAW.

FRANKFORT, Ky., March 18.—Governor Willson signed the Withelm anti-poolroom bill, which was passed by the General Assembly just before it adjourned last night. The new law permits pool playing on racetracks during race meetings, but not otherwise. The penalty for failure of officers to enforce its provisions is a fine and imprisonment and forfeiture of office.

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BOSTON, Mass., March 18.—There is unusual activity among the oarsmen of Boston, Philadelphia, New York and Washington this year, as each city is desirous of being represented on the Olympic crew that will go to England to uphold the name America has made in the rowing world. These four cities are the leading centers of the rowing game in this country, and it would not be fair to pick a crew from either one of the places named without giving the others a chance.

President James Pilkington of the National Rowing Association of America and Julian Curtiss, the well-known writer of aquatic sports, who have been named to pick the crew, will meet this week at one of the New York hotels and decide how the crew will be selected. Their decision is being awaited with interest in the rowing circles of the East, as they may decide that it will be necessary to have one of the college crews represent this country. Three of the colleges prominent in the rowing line have signified their intentions of sending a crew across the water.

Four Cities Represented.

The Bacon boys, at Harvard, are putting up a great fight, but as their homes are both in Washington, New York, and Boston, one of these cities seems sure of distinguished representation.

The only way that rowing clubs of this country can prevent a college crew from going across the water as the representative American boat is to pick the two leading oarsmen from each of the four cities named and send them to some central point, where they can train for about a month and then, when the Poughkeepsie regatta is over, have the crew that has been sent from these cities meet the college crew that wins the regatta.

The winner of this race, which should be the same distance as the Olympic course, would be the only fit crew to send across the water.

SWARTHMORE SPORTS SUFFER BY LOSSES

SWARTHMORE, March 18.—Swarthmore College athletics are just now going through a general renovating process by the faculty and student committee this morning, and it promises to continue indefinitely.

Four men, two of whom are said to be from Philadelphia, have been permanently expelled from college, and the faculty meets again in the morning to consider several more names.

From all indications lacrosse, track, and football prospects will be crippled materially if the house-cleaning goes on as is anticipated, which it is likely to do, for several of the football men particularly are hopelessly back in the work and could not hope to pull up with enough credits to play, even by doing summer work.

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The race will be over 300 miles of as fine roads as have ever been prepared for a race of the kind, and it will be the longest road race ever held in America.

L. Z. starters are now down on the list, and indications tonight are that all of them will be in the race.

Entrants Back Out.

In yesterday's races the sport was considerably marred by the small number of starters. The 150-mile race for runabouts had three starters. The 200-mile race for runabouts had two, and then its engine broke down, putting it out of the race. Lytle, driving the Apperson "Jack Rabbit" and J. E. Lochner with Thomas-Detroit, stayed in the race, the former winning. The Thomas had made out nine laps out of the ten when the Apperson finished.

Only two entries showed for the second race of 180 miles for cars of the standard stock chassis equipped with racing bodies of greater maximum piston displacement than 55 cubic inches. George Salzman, driving the Stearns Six, and S. E. Kiser, driving the Thomas-Six, started.

Thomas First Off.

The Thomas car got away first at 2 o'clock, two minutes ahead of the Stearns, which promptly proceeded to "eat up" the interval. The first lap was made by the Thomas car in 17 minutes, 55 seconds, but the Stearns made the circuit in 19 minutes and 55 seconds. It looked then like a triumph for the Stearns car, but later it developed that it had broken a connecting rod, forcing it out of the race.

This left the victory to the Thomas, which finished in 3 hours, 2 minutes, 25 seconds.

ALEXANDRIA MEETS TREMONT TONIGHT

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Hackenschmidt arrived in this country last week and has since met all comers in New York, Brooklyn and Boston. No one has so far succeeded in staying with him longer than three minutes. At the end of this week he will go to Chicago to prepare for his championship match with Frank Gotch in that city, April 3.

There will be several other contests at Convention Hall tomorrow night between light, middle and heavy-weight wrestlers.

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